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(*APPLICANTS CLAIM SMALL-ENTITY STATUS UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.27.)

"HUMAN ZONA PELLUCIDA PROTEIN 3 AND USES THEREOF"

(Title of Invention)

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12 sheet(s) of informal formal drawings.

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